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Re: Ex Parte Communication, WT Docket No. 97-82

Dear Ms. Salas:

On behalf of STPCS Joint Venture, LLC d/b/a SOL Communications ("STPCS"), and pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, notice is hereby given of an ex parte meeting on June 27, 2000 between Jonathan Foxman and Julia K. Tanner, Esq., both of STPCS, the undersigned, and Mark Schneider, legal advisor to Commissioner Ness. Attached for inclusion in the record of WT Docket No. 97-82 are two copies of STPCS's presentation to Mr. Schneider.

Kindly direct any comments regarding this submission to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

E. Ashton Johnston

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 - (1) License Price and Unjust Enrichment Are Paid to the Commission in Full
 - Promotes fairness consistent with the Commission's rules
 - Promotes fairness to non-DEs who paid for licenses up-front
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